Hang Pinching,

OR,

The good fellowes Obſervation,
Mongſt a Ioviall Crew,
Of them that hate Flinching,
But is alwayes true blew.

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To the tune of Drive the Cold winter away.

ALL you which lay clame,
To a good fellowes name,
and yet doe not proue your ſelues ſo,
Giue eare to this thing,
The which I will ſing,
wherein I moſt plainly will ſhow
With proofe and good ground,
Thoſe fellowes profound,
that vnto the Alewiues are true,
In drinking their drinke,
And paying their chinke,
O ſuch a good fellow's true blew,

But otherwiſe hee,
That brabling will be,
about any trifle to pay,
When that he doth know
He ſo much doth owe,
yet baſely will ſhrinke his way,
Or bring the ſumme leſſe,
Diſparaging gueſſe.
which willing would pay al that's due,
His Company I,
Deteſt and defie,
Becauſe that he is not true blew.

Some Chaps are ſo nimble,
They'l ſit and lick the wimble,
but when that the Reckning's to pay,
Away they will ſneake,
And not a word ſpeake,
all which is approued each day,
The which hauing ſeene,
Doth draw me with ſpleene,
to lay open vnto your view,
The honeſt good fellow,
Who though hee bee mellow,
In every kind is true blew,

He's of the right mould,
That ſpares not his gold,
mongſt thoſe good fellowes that lack,
If that they will drinke,
he'l part with his Chinke,
and lookes not for any on't back,
But is well content,
His money is ſpent,
among ſuch a ioniall Crew,
And theſe are the parts,
And cheefeſt deſarts,
That ſhowes a good fellow true blew.

Such difference I
Doe daily deſcry,
amongſt the Conditions of men,
Some giuen are to fight,
Some in ſinging delight,
pray what ſhall be cenſured then,
Why truely my mind,
To him is inclinde,
by whom vnto mirth I am drew,
For much I doe hate,
He that breedeth debate,
But giue me a fellow true blew.

There's ſome of that mind,
When that they doe find
a man that is ioniall and free,
They'l drinke and they'l call,
But he muſt pay all,
or elſe vndiſcharg'd it muſt be,
Once being ſerv'd ſo,
No more will I goe,
into ſuch a fridolous Crew,
And ſo I'le aduiſe
All thoſe that are wiſe,
Becauſe that they are not true blew.